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PATENT APPLICATION  
Docket No. 13768.459

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

AMENDMENT "D" AND RESPONSE  
AFTER NON-FINAL

VIA eFILE AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action of December 26, 2007 (paper no. 20071218), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.